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Police
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

ITEM No 13

Subject Authorize the acceptance of \$67,680 in grant funding from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs Fiscal Year 2006 Bulletproof Vest Program, and amend the Fiscal Year 2006-2007 Operating Budget of the Police Department Special Revenue Fund Ordinance 09112006-001 to appropriate \$67,680 in grant funding to buy bulletproof vests

Amount and Source of Funding Funding is available for the grant period October 1, 2006 to September 30, 2009 A 50% match in the amount of \$67,680 is required and was obligated with a prior procurement during Fiscal Year 2005-2006 from the Operating Budget for the Austin Police Department

Fiscal Note A fiscal note is attached

Additional Backup Material

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- □ Ordinance
- D Fiscal Note from Budget

For More Information Cathy Ellison, Chief of Police (Acting)/974-5030

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This grant is being made available to police departments to replace Zylon vests as these vests were determined to not provide the intended level of ballistic resistance required for officer safety. The conditional grant award specifies that only vests containing Zylon will be replaced using grant funding. The Austin Police Department purchased 365 vests in December of 2005 that contained Zylon and had to return them to the manufacturer due to the Zylon content. APD had to buy new vests for the officers to replace the ones that contained Zylon and will use the grant funds to recover partial costs of this emergency purchase. Currently, all APD officers are assigned vests that provide the appropriate levels of ballistic resistance.

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1 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF GRANT FUNDS 2 AND AMENDING THE FISCAL YEAR 2006-2007 AUSTIN POLICE 3 DEPARTMENT OPERATING BUDGET OF ORDINANCE NO. 20060911-001 TO 4 APPROPRIATE GRANT FUNDS. 5 6 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN: 7 8 PART 1. The Council authorizes the acceptance of \$67,680 in grant funds from the U S 9 Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Fiscal Year 2006 Bulletproof Vest Program 10 11 **PART 2.** The Council amends the Fiscal Year 2006-2007 Austin Police Department Operating Budget Special Revenue Fund of Ordinance No 20060911-001 to appropriate 12 \$67,680 for the purchase of bulletproof vests 13 14 **PART 3.** This ordinance takes effect on December 26, 2006 15 PASSED AND APPROVED 16 17 18 19 . 2006 Wıll Wynn 20 21 Mayor 22 23 24 APPROVED: ATTEST: Shirley A Gentry 25 David Allan Smith

City Attorney

City Clerk

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OPERATING BUDGET FISCAL NOTE

DATE OF COUNCIL CONSIDERATION WHERE ON AGENDA DEPARTMENT

12/14/2006 Ordinance Police

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FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Project Costs	Approved Budget 2006-07	Impact of thisAction	Amended Budget 2006-07
Special Revenue Fund			
Bulletproof Vest Program	\$0	\$67,680	\$67,680
TOTAL	\$0	\$67,680	\$67,680
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